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TAGS: BEXP, MASS

SUBJ: CADILLAC GAGE CO.

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1. EMBASSY HAS LEARNED THAT THE GOM HAS SIGNED A CONTRACT WITH CADILLAC GAGE OF DETROIT, MICHIGAN FOR THE DELIVERY OF 134 V-150 ARMORED VEHICLES TO THE MINDEF AT A COST OF US \$16 MILLION FOB DETROIT. SALE TO BE ON BASIS CONFIRMED LETTER OF CREDIT, WITH NO INTERNATIONAL FINANCING INVOLVED.

2. CADILLAC GAGE WILL INSTALL 90 MM GUNS OF BELGIAN MANUFACTURE ON SITE. MALAYSIAN TREASURY STIPULATIONS REQUIRE VEHICLES AND GUNS TO BE DELIVERED STARTING WITHIN EIGHT MONTHS AND RUNNING INTO 1975.

3. NEGOTIATIONS WITH MALAYSIAN POLICE NOW UNDERWAY FOR PURCHASE OF ADDITIONAL VEHICLES FOR ITS USE, PROBABLY NOT TO EXCEED 50 V-150 S.

4. THIS A HANDSOME EXPORT ORDER FOR CADILLAC GAGE, AND A FOLLOW- UP TO THE SALE OF 80 V-100 S TO THE MALAYSIAN GOVERNMENT LAST YEAR.

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